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**THE LATE CHARLES J. FOLGER,**  
SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY.

Charles J. Folger, Secretary of the  
Treasury, died at his residence, Gene-  
va, New York, on the 4th inst. He  
was born on the island of Nantucket  
April 18, 1818. When he was twelve  
years old his parents removed to Ge-  
neva, Ontario county, New York.  
He was educated in Nantucket, at the  
Mainfield (Conn.) Academy and Har-  
vard College, Geneva, where he was  
graduated in 1836. Having read law  
about three years he was admitted to  
the bar. He then opened an office at  
Geneva, and succeeded in establish-  
ing a good practice. In 1841 he was  
appointed by Governor Bonck, Judge  
of the Ontario County Court of Com-  
mon pleas. Soon after he was made  
a Master and Examiner in Chancery.  
In 1851 he was elected County Judge  
of Ontario. At the end of the four  
years' term he became an active pub-  
lican in the interest of the Republi-  
can party. He was elected to the  
New York Senate in 1861, and served  
continuously eight years as a mem-  
ber of that body. For seven years of  
the period he led the Republicans in  
the Senate, for four was its President  
pro tempore, and was Chairman of  
the Judiciary Committee during the  
whole of his Senatorial term. He was  
Chairman of the Judiciary Committee  
of the State Constitutional Convention  
in the year 1847. After leaving the New York Senate  
Mr. Folger was appointed United  
States Sub-Treasurer, New York City.  
He was next elected Judge of the  
Court of Appeals, and succeeded the  
deceased Judge Church, as Chief  
Judge of that court, in 1880. In the  
fall of the same year he was elected  
to continue in the same position. His  
appointment as Secretary of the  
Treasury was given him by his friend  
President Arthur, October 27, 1881.  
He was a candidate for the Govern-  
orship of New York State, in 1882  
when he was overwhelmingly defeated  
by Grover Cleveland, now the  
Democratic candidate for the Presi-  
dency. Mr. Folger was a widower  
during the last years of his life, in  
which one of his daughters presided  
as hostess at his hospitable home in  
Geneva. His health was bad for sev-  
eral months previous to his death,  
and his eyes were weak for years  
prior to the event which deprived  
the United States of a useful pub-  
lic servant. Mr. Folger leaves three  
children, two daughters and one son.  
The latter is a farmer in Minnesota.

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**Fashion-Hints from Peterson's**  
**Magazine for October.**

Black, in all materials, continues to  
be much worn, even for full-dress.  
There is no special change in style  
of making dresses: pointed waists,  
short on the hips, jackets with waist-  
coat-fronts, short round jackets, and  
round waists with belts, are all fash-  
ionable.  
Tunics are worn both long and  
short, though the latter are perhaps  
the more fashionable.  
Sleeves are still slightly gathered  
into the arm-holes; but they do not  
stand up quite as high as they did.  
Woolen will be principally used  
for walking and out-door dresses,  
this fall; silk and velvet being re-  
served for more ceremonious occasions.  
Hats are generally worn high in  
the crown and with narrow brims;  
we record this as the fashion, but we  
think it unbecoming.  
Bonnets have a decided tendency  
to a peak in front, and this peak is  
high enough to admit of a flower or  
a bow of ribbon beneath it; the long  
poke-bonnet is now used principally  
for morning wear.  
Corsets, of black, sapphire, on  
ruby velvet, or of Sicilienne in the  
same hues, are now worn with skirts  
of cream-white and considered very  
stylish.  
Velvet is extensively used for trim-  
ming, this fall; that is to say, velvet  
by the yard, cut bias and employed  
in very wide bands.  
Overskirts are made now with  
very deep points in front, reaching to  
the hem of the underskirt, while  
they are caught up very high at the  
back in loops or draperies, leaving  
the back of the underskirt almost  
wholly uncovered.  
The regular tight-fitting corset is  
gradually parting with its basque,

and is returning to the pointed cor-  
set of our grandmother.  
Fashionable ladies now wear the  
watch in a small pocket set upon the  
left breast. A slender chain is at-  
tached to the watch, one end being  
fastened to one of the lower button-  
holes of the corset. These chains  
are the latest novelty in jewelry.  
Black lace dresses retain their popu-  
larity.

**"Artemus Ward,"**

(Springfield (Ill.) Sunday News.)

Early in the summer months of  
1854 a tall spare and rather seedy in-  
dividual entered the town of South  
Charleston, Ohio, and sought work  
as a journeyman printer on the Stan-  
dard, at that time the only journal in  
the place. He had none of the evi-  
dence of prosperity. On the contrary,  
his clothes and general appearance  
indicated that he was in the same  
condition with many of his brethren  
—"busted," broken and deplorably  
hard up. He secured work on the  
paper at a salary of five dollars per  
week, and settled down to dream of  
contentment in life. This was Char-  
les F. Browne, better known as "Ar-  
temus Ward," who subsequently gained  
recognition as the first of  
American humorists, and whose tour  
through England, made under bitter  
disadvantages, gained himself and  
his nation a reputation far wiser  
among the shaggy intellects of that  
people.

In his biography, it is told that he  
grew discontented with his home in  
New England, and came westward  
with the tide of emigration. Hear-  
ing rumors that he had one lived in  
South Charleston, a News reporter  
took occasion to visit that village and  
learn the facts connected with the  
case. He was directed to Mr. Rus-  
sell Reeder, a retired grocer, as the  
person most likely to be informed up-  
on the subject. Mr. Reeder is a gen-  
tleman well advanced in years, but  
wearing his age well. After a few  
unavoidable pleasanties touching  
the weather and crops, the reporter  
proceeded to question him with re-  
gard to his knowledge of the great hu-  
morist.

"Were you acquainted with Ar-  
temus Ward, or rather, with Mr.  
Browne?"  
"Yes; I was his closest friend. He  
stuck to me just above my grocery, and  
in that way we became acquainted.  
He was with me more than any one  
else here."

"Do you remember and can you  
give a description of his physique?"  
"Let me think a minute. He was  
tall, nearly six feet, I believe; he had  
bright eyes, a Roman nose, a very gen-  
erous mouth, and was of a light com-  
plexion. He was not a handsome  
man, and he wasn't ugly, but he had  
a gentlemanly bearing."  
"You say he came here rather poor-  
ly stricken?"  
"Yes; and he left that way, too. I  
don't think he had anything when he  
came here, and I know he went away  
worse off yet. He got \$4 to \$5 for set-  
ting type on the Standard, but that  
did not pay his expenses. He was in  
debt all the time, and he left owing  
\$60 to the lady whom he lived with.  
I remember that he wanted to go  
away, but hadn't a cent and couldn't  
get any, so we raised a sum in my  
store, and enabled him to leave  
Charleston. If it hadn't been for our  
generosity, he would probably have  
stayed there until he received help  
from other quarters."  
"So he left a debt of sixty dollars  
here?"  
"Yes; but about the close of the  
war he returned and delivered a hu-  
morous lecture in Charleston. The  
next day he came round, visited us  
all, and paid what he owed. I sup-  
pose he was getting a hundred dol-  
lars a night then—quite a jump from  
four dollars a week."  
"Did you observe his great powers  
of humor while he was here?"  
"I never met him in my life but he  
had some joke to get off. He was al-  
ways laughing, and his genial man-  
ners made him a favorite. I can't  
remember any of his jests now, as it  
is twenty years since I saw or talked  
with him."  
"Can you give me any further rem-  
iniscences?"  
"While he was here," continued  
Mr. Reeder, "he had a partner or  
companion, whose name I can't now  
remember. They did the work of  
the Standard, as the proprietor was  
generally drunk. Getting tired of  
this, they watched for a chance to get  
even with the old man. Perhaps he  
overworked them too much, or re-  
fused them their wages; anyway  
they determined to revenge them-  
selves on him for something. One  
evening the owner and editor of the  
Standard got on a glorious drunk.  
He became loud in his general joy,  
and as usual, left everything to  
Browne and his partner. After the  
day's work, the future Artemus Ward  
sat down and composed some horri-  
ble jokes on the absent proprietor,  
ridiculing him for his empty head,  
and presenting ludicrous pictures of  
his drunken antics. It was published  
in the form of a hand-bill, and scat-  
tered broadcast over the streets of  
South Charleston. It was a cure for  
the proprietor. The Standard soon  
changed hands, and not long after,  
Browne left."

"Perhaps, he left in obedience to  
the laws of health?"  
"No; his employer took it in prop-  
er spirit. The reason of Browne's  
leaving was his unsettled disposition.  
He always wanted to travel, and it  
was this desire that took him, when  
so young, to the lecturing field."  
"Is the house standing yet where  
he worked?"  
"Yes; here, I'll show it to you."  
Mr. Reeder, influenced either by a  
spirit of accommodation or a desire to  
see his questioner somewhere else,  
pointed out the building. The re-  
porter followed the directions, and  
found the historic old house at the  
corner of Main and Chillicothe streets.  
It is a substantial frame, looking con-  
siderably better for a recent coat of  
paint, and bearing few traces of its  
extreme age. In the second story  
the immortal humorist worked at the  
ease, and dreamed perhaps of his fu-  
ture fame. He was known then only  
as a witty fellow, a genial  
companion and generous friend.  
At this time he was just twenty-  
one. Two-thirds of his life  
had passed away, and he had yet to  
make his fortune. But from this time  
his star was in the ascendant. He en-  
tered upon his duties as editor,  
and his rise was swift and sure.  
He continued in this sphere until  
the lecture field opened for him a  
wider reputation and better emolu-  
ment. As a wit his humor was  
distinctly American. His  
manner went far toward this end, and  
while possessing vast powers of sar-  
casm and irony, his shafts were so  
barbed that in his whole life he never  
made an enemy. During the stormy  
years of the civil war, his pen was  
active in support of the union—shown  
particularly in his interview with  
Jefferson Davis and his picture of  
Richmond after the evacuation. His  
powers were the gift of nature, re-  
ceiving no cultivation except what the  
occurrences of ordinary life afforded.  
Browne died at the early age of  
thirty-one, while on a tour through  
England. The remains were brought  
across the Atlantic and laid beside  
those of his father. His works have  
taken their place among the imperish-  
able offerings of genius, and will  
continue to leave their impress upon  
the humorous productions of his suc-  
cessors. Rising from a mere compo-  
sitor at the case to the forefront of  
American humorists, it is but natu-  
ral the South Charleston people should  
feel proud of their fellow-citizen al-  
though a generation has passed since  
he lived among them.

**THE BAD BOY.**

BY GEORGE W. PECK.

"I don't want a murderer around  
my store," said the groceryman to the  
bad boy, as he came in the door with  
a military uniform on, and saluted  
the groceryman previous to helping  
himself to some fruit, "I understood  
you have been the means of nearly  
killing your father, that you run a  
bayonet through him, and scared  
him half to death. What on earth  
do you mean?" and the groceryman  
got behind the cheese-box and took  
up a knife to defend himself in case  
the little soldier attempted to injure  
him. "Next thing you will enlist as  
a cannibal in the navy, and go to  
eating people."

"Oh, don't be afraid," said the bad  
boy. "Nobody would eat you unless  
you was put to soak for a few months.  
Pa is all right. He was a little  
frightened, that is all."  
"Tell me about it," said the grocery-  
man, reassured. "Tell me if the old  
man weakened. He told me he was  
going up to the camp and was go-  
ing in to see the sham battle, guards  
or no guards, without paying. He  
said his son was one of soldiers,  
and he could pass him, if he was on  
guard. He said if his boy put on any  
style over him with a gun he would  
take the gun away from him, and  
take him across his knee, and maul  
the military spirit all out of him,  
throw the gun away and go in. Did  
he do it?"

"Not much he didn't do it," said the  
bad boy. "Pa can run me at home,  
but when I enlist as a soldier, and re-  
ceive orders, I will obey them, as pa  
has found out, at the expense of his  
pans. You see my company was  
put on guard at Deadhead hill, to  
keep deadheads from seeing the sham  
battle and drill without paying, and  
we had order to halt anybody that  
attempted to pass, and if they didn't  
go away to arrest them, and have the  
corporal of the guard take them to  
the guard house. Pa thought he had  
a soft thing because his little boy was  
on guard, and he came along and  
said 'Hello, Hen, I'm going in.' I  
thought it was a good time to show  
my authority at the beginning of my  
military career, so I indicted my lungs  
and said, 'Halt!' My voice sounded  
so much like the regular army that  
pa was a little bit scared, and he  
looked again to see if it was actually  
his child speaking so spunky. When  
he was sure it was me he smiled one  
of his forced smiles and said, 'That  
will be all right, bub, I am going in-  
to show.' When he called me 'bub'  
it made me hot, and I got right in  
front of him, with my bayonet at a  
charge, and I said, 'Move another  
inch at your peril!' Pa looked at the  
bayonet, and at my flashing eye, and  
he said he would let me go for that  
when he got me home. Then he be-  
gan to tell me what he had done for  
me, bringing me up like a christian,

and now I was going to prod his liver  
with a cheese-knife. I didn't say,  
anything, 'cause it is against the rules  
to argue when you are on guard, and  
pa thought he had got me scared  
and he said if I didn't take that gun  
away from his stomach, and go  
away, he would cuff me side of the  
head. Gosh but I was annoyed. All  
the soldiers were watching me, and  
they knew it was my pa that I had  
stopped, and they were watching the  
result. If I weakened, and pa went  
in, that settled it. The whole crowd  
would go in, and walk right over me  
and I would be in disgrace. Pa ought  
to have known better than to try to  
pass me, after all his talk about mili-  
tary discipline when he was in the ar-  
my, but he was only a suttler anyway.  
Well, when pa had threatened to cuff  
me, he started to go around me, next  
to the fence, and I told him to halt  
again, and he wouldn't, so I run the  
bayonet right through the back side  
of his pants, and into the fence, and I  
had him phoned. I didn't want to  
hurt him, and I knew his pants were  
loose and very good cloth. He found  
he was caught, and as he struggled  
and was held up by the pants, he  
said I was a conglom fool, and that I  
had no veneration, and no love of my  
parents. I held him there and called  
for the corporal of the guard, and  
when the guard came I pulled the  
bayonet out of pa's pants and the  
fence, and they took him away. I  
told the officer of the day the pris-  
oner was my father, who had tried to  
play it on his little boy and sneak in,  
and I asked the officer to give pa a  
lecture and two shillings and let him  
go and pay his admission fee, after  
he got to the guard-house, which he  
did. Well, when I got off duty the  
company surrounded me and said I  
was a good soldier, and the colonel  
complimented me. He said it was a  
trying situation for a new recruit,  
and I had acted nobly. A soldier on  
duty had no right to know anybody,  
or show any favors."

"That was right, Honnery," said  
the groceryman. "Your pa acted  
like an old fool, and you ought to  
have jabbed him where there was  
some meat, instead of pants. But  
what is it about finding your pa on  
the battle field, apparently dead, af-  
ter the sham battle?"

"As near as I can get at it, from  
what my chum says, pa was trying  
to make a party of young fellows be-  
lieve that he was managing the sham  
battle, on account of his being an old  
veteran, and he walked down on the  
ground between the two armies to ex-  
plain how the thing was going to be  
done. Just as he got about in the  
middle of the ground both sides be-  
gan to fire, and some of the boys threw  
a lot of mud balls at pa, just as the  
guns went off, and he thought he was  
shot in about forty places, and he  
laid right down and blate, and when  
the two armies came near together he  
tore off a piece of shirt and held it up  
for a flag of truce, but the armies  
thought it was only a drunken man,  
so they laughed and kept on popping  
away, and pa thought his time had  
come, and he was on his knees when  
a policeman went down between the  
contending forces and took pa by the  
collar and jerked him away. He told  
the policeman he was shot all to pieces,  
and to send for a doctor, but the po-  
liceman turned pa loose just as the  
cavalry started to charge, and pa  
found his legs were all right, and he  
ran all the way home. Ma says pa  
told her there was a mutiny up at  
camp, and everybody was being killed.  
When I came home pa wouldn't  
speak to me. He said I was a un-  
grateful son-of-a-gun, and had un-  
cared his hair to turn gray. If pa had  
my hair it would have turned gray  
from fright. But pa has got so he  
does not put on any style over me  
now. He realizes that I have soldiers  
to back me, and that I am not a child  
any more, though he says I will live  
to be sorry for jabbing him in the  
pants. He showed me his wound and  
had her sew it up. At first he told  
her he fell out of a four story window  
onto an iron picket fence, but that  
story wouldn't wash. Well, it is pre-  
tend time to fall in for drill, and I  
must go," and the young soldier sal-  
uted the groceryman, took a small  
muskelon and started for camp.  
—Peck's Sun.

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tells the following: The cod-fish  
catch is short half a million quintals,  
and on the northeast coast of New  
foundland a famine is imminent.  
About 800 families are reported starv-  
ing and are sustaining life at present  
on squids. The whole coast of New  
foundland and Labrador are studded  
with icebergs. Capt. Mammel, of the  
mail steamer Plover, reports 253 ice-  
bergs between Wadhian Island and  
Cape Frens, Bona Vista Bay. Thir-  
teen icebergs drove south of Cape  
Spear yesterday down into the track  
of the ocean steamers.

Tammany met last Monday night  
and appointed a committee of one  
from each district to prepare an ad-  
dress and resolutions, defining and  
explaining the exact position of the  
organization toward the Democracy  
and the Nation, to be placed before  
the general assembly to-night.

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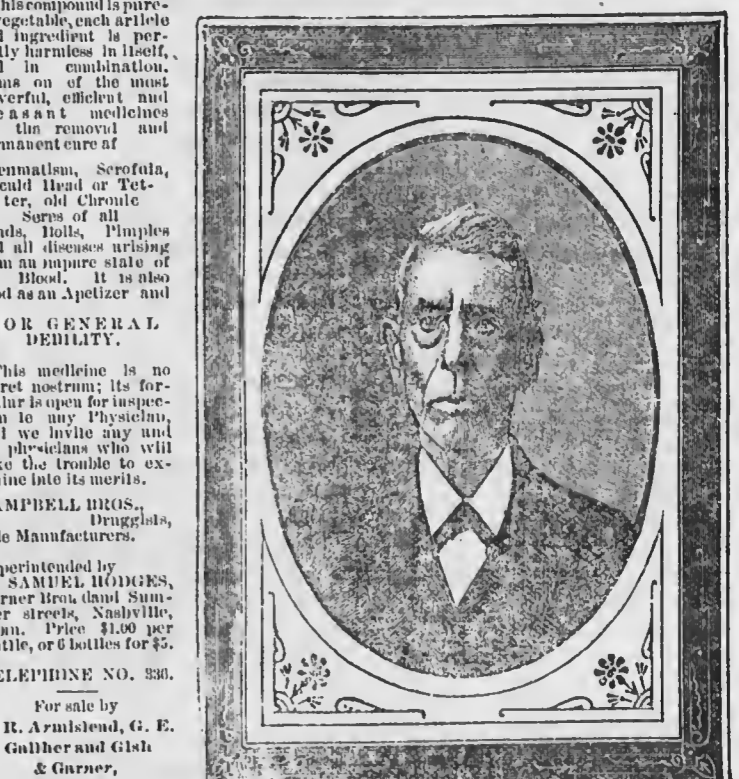
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- 1-Rhea Boyd, of McCracken county.  
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3-John S. Rhea, of Logan county.  
4-Sam R. Berry, of Marion county.  
5-J. F. Ballitt, Jr., of Jefferson county.  
6-Leslie T. Applegate, of Pendleton co.  
7-Ira Julian, of Franklin county.  
8-R. N. Robinson, of Shelby county.  
9-S. S. Savage, of Boyd county.  
10-John P. Salyers, of Morgan county.  
11-Rollin Hurt, of Adair county.

#### The Seabree City Convention.

[Official Report.]

The Democratic Congressional Convention to nominate a candidate in the Second Kentucky District, met at Seabree City Sept. 11. The convention was called to order at the camp meeting ground, one mile from the town, by E. P. Millett, of Owensboro, chairman of the District Committee, at 1:25 o'clock p. m. Prayer was offered by Rev. A. McDonald. W. T. Owen, of Daviess, nominated E. P. Millett for temporary chairman and A. K. Bradley, of Hopkins, nominated L. W. Long, of Union. W. N. Sweeney, of Daviess, thought Mr. Millett should act as temporary chairman without election until a permanent organization was effected. This was opposed by Messrs. Bradley, of Hopkins, and Wood, of Christian. Mr. Sweeney finally agreed to an election and Mr. Millett's name was withdrawn and J. D. Powers, of Daviess, nominated. Col. Powers was the candidate of Mr. Clay's friends and Maj. Long, of Hopkins. The chair appointed Chas. M. Meacham, of Christian, and C. W. Bransford, of Daviess, to call and record the votes. The first ballot resulted as follows:

FOR POWERS.	FOR LONG.
Daviess.....11	Christian.....10
Hancock.....2	Hopkins.....6
Henderson.....8	Union.....6
McLean.....4	Webster.....4
Total.....50	Total.....50

Being a tie vote, four other ballots were taken with a like result when the Clay men retired for consultation and when they returned Hon. J. Y. Brown offered the following resolution, which he claimed was the only proper way to settle the question between the two candidates:

"WHEREAS, The vote between Messrs. Clay and Laffoon is a tie and assuming that each will, as he ought to, hereafter receive in the Convention, the votes instructed to be cast for him, and

"WHEREAS, In such event a choice by the Convention will be impossible; therefore be it

Resolved, That the question of a nomination be referred to a primary election, to be held at every voting precinct of this Congressional district at which every Democrat, and no others, will be entitled to vote and the one who shall receive the majority of the votes cast in the district shall be declared the nominee."

Resolved, That said primary election shall be held on the day of October and that the County Committee of each county compare and report the vote of its county to the Chairman of the District Committee, who shall declare the result."

Thos. S. Pettit, of Daviess, raised a point of order that the convention was not organized and could not transact business. The chair decided the point well taken and balloting was resumed. After the 11th ballot Malcolm Yeaman, of Henderson, moved that the chairman of the eight county delegations be appointed a committee to select a temporary chairman. The motion was declared out of order. Mr. Yeaman appealed

to the house and the chair was sustained. The call of counties proceeded for an hour or two, with an occasional humorous motion to vary the monotony. Mr. Pettit moved that the chair cast the deciding vote to break the tie. This motion was laughed down by the Laffoon men. After 91 ballots, Col. Stirling, of Henderson, submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, that the convention take a recess of 15 minutes, that the band do play and that Dock Brown, of Union, read the Declaration of Independence.

It was adopted amid loud laughter and the convention took a rest for a quarter of an hour.

At 2:25 the voting was again resumed and after the 150th ballot the body adjourned till 10 o'clock the next day, (Friday).

#### THE SECOND SESSION.

Promptly at 10 o'clock Friday, acting chairman Millett rapped the convention to order in the church at Seabree City and ordered the 151st ballot for temporary chairman. The same result as before was announced and 250 ballots were taken without anything to break the monotony. After the 40th call the convention adjourned at 12 o'clock to meet at 2.

#### THE THIRD SESSION.

After dinner but few delegates put in an appearance. Nothing occurred until the 152nd ballot, when C. N. Pendleton, of Christian, arose and discussed the situation in an eloquent and patriotic speech that waked up the sleepy auditors. In the course of his speech he complimented W. N. Sweeney and John Young Brown in the highest terms, both of whom were present in Mr. Clay's interest. When he had concluded Mr. Sweeney crossed the room and grasped him by the hand and loud calls were made for a speech from the Owensboro statesman. He responded in a forcible, argumentative address of a few minutes and then Mr. Brown was also called up and spoke eloquently for harmony and a fair and honorable settlement of the vexed problem. It seemed that the crisis was near at hand, but the opportunity was allowed to pass and the tiresome call went on. The delegates got stubborn and refused to adjourn, though nearly all except the chairman of the delegations went out. Late in the afternoon the delegate casting the vote of Henderson left and deputized a friend, not a delegate, to vote the county. Attention was called to this and the chair decided that none but delegates could vote. The Clay men excited and sent for a Henderson delegate in post haste and fortunately found one near the door in time to keep the county from being passed, and thereby electing Mr. Laffoon's friend for temporary chairman. Finally at 5:30 o'clock the body adjourned till 8 o'clock, after taking the 74th ballot. When it met after supper the delegates were in a better humor and adjourned without taking a ballot until 11 o'clock Saturday.

#### THE FIFTH SESSION.

The morning session Saturday was uneventful and the delegates sat around and read papers while the secretaries proceeded with the call of counties until the 919th ballot had been called when all agreed to adjourn for dinner.

#### THE SIXTH SESSION.

At 10 o'clock the call again began. The delegates showed unmistakable signs of fatigue, disgust and impatience. Nineteen ballots were called and when the 963th was reached the long hoped for break came. When Hopkins was reached, Hon. A. K. Bradley arose, and with a few patriotic remarks withdrew Maj. Long's name and moved that Col. Powers be elected temporary chairman by acclamation. The motion passed amid loud cheers. Upon motion of a delegate from Henderson, Chas. M. Meacham and C. W. Bransford were chosen secretaries by acclamation, and the temporary chairman was at last completed.

On motion, the chair appointed the following committees, composed of one member from each county:

CREDENTIALS: John W. Cooper, Christian; Geo. F. Haynes, Daviess; G. D. Chambers, Hancock; Malcolm Yeaman, Henderson; John Hall, Hopkins; A. W. Johnson, McLean; H. M. Haskins, Union; F. M. Baker, Webster.

RESOLUTIONS: S. G. Buckner, Christian; C. S. Walker, Daviess; Jas. Hewitt, Hancock; J. F. Lockett, Henderson; J. A. Dempsey, Hopkins; J. C. Johnson, McLean; L. C. Flournoy, Union; R. F. Coffman, Webster.

PERMANENT ORGANIZATION: L. A. Syper, Christian; A. C. Tompkins, Daviess; J. W. Knox, Hancock; M. Merritt, Henderson; J. T. Scott, Hopkins; W. H. Hardin, McLean; Geo. A. Prentiss, Union; L. B. Hall, Webster.

A short intermission was taken to give the committees time to act. The committee on credentials reported all of the counties represented by large delegations, and after being read the report was adopted.

The Committee on Permanent Organization reported, recommending the retention of the temporary officers, and adding Urey Woodson, E. L. Stirling and John Hall as Secretaries. The report was adopted unanimously.

The Committee on Resolutions submitted the following:

Resolved, That the Democracy of the Second Congressional District, of Kentucky, in convention assembled at Seabree City, Ky., reaffirms its allegiance to the principles of the Democratic party, as constituted in its National platform adopted at St. Louis, in 1876, Cincinnati in 1880, and Chicago in 1884.

Resolved, That this convention indignantly disapproves of the policy adopted by the State in permitting the convicts and criminals from our Penitentiary to come in contact with honest labor within our borders; and we recommend the speedy repeal of all laws upon our Statute books which permit such employment. We held that the Democratic party has been the friend of the honest toiling classes of this land, and of this late day it would be untrue in itself and tendentious if it did not raise its voice in their behalf; and this Convention now expresses the opinion that the only place such criminal labor should ever be employed is inside the inclosures of the regular Penitentiary walls, except on State work, so that our miners and laborers may be freed from such contaminating influences.

The call of counties was then ordered for nominations for Congressmen. Hon. Polk Laffoon was nominated by C. L. Long, of Union, and the nomination seconded by L. A. Syper, of Christian. Hon. Jas. P. Clay was nominated by Geo. F. Haynes, of Daviess, and the nomination seconded by J. C. Johnson, of McLean.

The first ballot resulted in a tie, the counties voting just as they had voted for two days for temporary chairman.

After the 10th ineffectual ballot Hon. J. Y. Brown renewed the motion for a primary election. A lively discussion followed. Mr. Laffoon's friends taking the ground that the convention had no power to call an election, but could only adjourn *sine die* if it adjourned without making a nomination. At this point, the counties of Hopkins and Union retired for consultation. Upon returning, Mr. Bradley offered an amendment to Mr. Brown's motion to the effect that the convention adjourn *sine die* and let the district committee take the matter in hand. Mr. Brown accepted the amendment. Before the resolution was passed a collection was taken up to pay for the use of the church, and the customary resolutions thanking the officers of the convention for the manner in which they had discharged their duties, were adopted.

Mr. Brown's resolution as amended was then adopted, and the convention adjourned *sine die* at 4:30 o'clock P. M., Saturday, Sept. 13.

#### Seabrees.

Dock Brown, of Union, was the wag of the convention.

Messrs. Clay and Laffoon had their headquarters in adjoining rooms. The hotel was crowded to its utmost capacity, but all managed to get something to eat.

The idea of a "dark horse" received no encouragement whatever, as all hands agreed that one of the contesting candidates ought to be nominated.

Hancock, with five delegates, had the smallest representation. Henderson and Hopkins each had about forty or fifty, many of whom returned home every night and came back on the early trains.

A Hopkins county delegate and an employee of the hotel had a "dust and skull" fight Friday. Others took it up and pistols and knives were drawn but quiet was restored before anybody was hurt.

About 200 delegates were in attendance and nothing whatever occurred to disturb the friendly relations of the two factions. The utmost good feeling prevailed between the candidates and their followers.

Hon. John Young Brown, Hon. W. N. Sweeney, Hon. W. T. Ellis, Hon. J. A. Munday, Hon. Jno. W. Lockett, Hon. Thos. S. Pettit, Hon. A. K. Bradley, Hon. L. W. Long, and Hon. J. D. Powers were among the distinguished men present.

The District committee, composed of the chairmen of the eight county committees, will meet at Seabree Tuesday next at 1 o'clock to take action in the matter and decide upon some plan to nominate a candidate for Congress. A primary election is talked of.

The Laffoon men covered the cowcatcher of the Earlington accommodation with poke stalks Thursday morning and wrapped a big flag around the engine and the band escorted the delegates to Seabree. Mr. Clay's friends also brought a band the first day.

The first day the convention met in the camp meeting shelter, a mile from town, and the delegates had to count the railroad ticks distance. There was some hard kicking, but they had to take their coats on their arms and make the best of it. The subsequent sessions were held in the new church, a large and pleasant room near the hotel.

The Davies delegation knowing that the convention would meet in the woods the first day, provided themselves with a huge demijohn (not St. John) filled with Owensboro "antidote." Seeing the danger that their fellow-delegates were obliged to incur, they generously threw open the bung of their "baggage" to the Clay men and Laffoon men alike.

Bransford and Woodson, of the Owensboro Messenger, Haynes and McFarland, of the Owensboro Inquirer, Givens and Hall, of the Madisonville Gleaner, Zeno F. Young, of the Madisonville Times, E. L. Stirling, of the Henderson Journal, Hunter Wood, of the New Era, and the South Kentucky representative, were the newspapermen present.

It was a long and a tiresome session and severely tested the physical powers of the delegates but the end came at last. The Laffoon men showed themselves to be the true patriots and conceded the organization to their opponents, for the sake of harmony, although they had a majority of the Hancock delegation, who were not bound by the unit rule or even instructed further than that the county had expressed a preference for Mr. Clay in mass convention. Mr.

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TIME TABLE FOR TRAINS.

DEPART SOUTH—6:45 A. M.; 11:35 A. M.;  
DEPART NORTH—2:15 P. M.; 5:15 P. M.;  
ARRIVE FROM NORTH—11:30 A. M.; 5:10 P. M.  
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SOCIALITIES.

Father time is the correct standard for this latitude at M. D. Kelly's.  
Mr. Jas. Pye is at Dawson.  
Rev. V. M. Metcalfe is at home.  
Mr. J. O. Cooper returned from Dawson Sunday.  
Mr. C. M. Latham has returned from the East.  
Mr. Bud Long has accepted a position with M. L. Spence.  
Jno. Wood and G. A. Tally came down to see the circus.  
Mr. M. M. Bodille, of Chicago, is visiting relatives at Lafayette.  
Allen Hall, of Lafayette, spent several days in the city last week.  
Miss Bettie Baker, of Cadiz, is visiting friends in the city.  
Mr. Jno. J. Chappell, of Cadiz, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. O. Cooper.  
Mrs. Jas. R. Wood has returned from an extended visit to relatives in Virginia.  
Dr. Hopson and wife have returned from an extended visit to relatives in Louisville.  
Mr. J. C. and Henry Frankel left Saturday for the East to lay in their fall stock of goods.  
Mr. Lee J. Barbee, of Hot Springs, Ark., is visiting relatives in the Louisville neighborhood.  
Mr. J. L. Meyer has taken a position with John Monyon, the Nashville street merchant.  
Miss Emma Spain, of Nashville, who has been on a visit to the family of Mr. Alex. Overlander, left for Nashville, Saturday.  
Messrs. Jno. D. Shaw, T. K. Torian, Dan Grinter, Tom Gunn and R. A. Burnett, Jr., of Cadiz, were among those who attended the circus Friday.  
Mrs. Mary Burnett and daughter, Miss Mary, who have been visiting the family of Mr. Ike Burnett for several days, left for their home in Cadiz yesterday.

Reunion of the Orphan Brigade.

Elmo, Ky., Sept. 1st, 1884.  
"The First Kentucky Brigade, C. S. A. (Orphan Brigade) will meet in reunion at Elizabethtown on the 19th of September, 1884. Helm's First Regiment Kentucky Cavalry will join the Brigade at the same time; also Cobb's battery and the Forty-first Alabama Infantry. The remains of Gen. Benj. Hardin Helm will be removed from Atlanta and buried at Elizabethtown by the surviving members of the brigade and regiment. This promises to be the most interesting reunion of Kentucky ex-Confederates since the war, as all will be invited to join in the impressive ceremonies."  
All members of Co. "H" 1st Reg. Ky. Cav., C. S. A. (Capt. Leavelle), who can leave home at that time, are earnestly requested to meet me at Elizabethtown on the morning of September 19th, 1884, to pay the last honors to our dead chief.  
THOS. M. BARBER,  
1st Lieut. Co. H. 1st Ky. Cav.

Lotus Literary Society.

The Lotus Literary Society met in the parlor of Bethel Female College last Friday night, as usual. The exercises were pleasant throughout. The instrumental solos of Misses Sarah Dagg and Maude Rust, the duet by Misses Sallie Rust and Geneva O'Brien, and the recitations by Misses Mattie Matilda and Porter Lowry were all worthy of special mention. Below we add the programme:

Duet, Misses Sallie Rust and Geneva O'Brien.  
Reading, Miss Mattie Wilcox.  
Music, Miss Edith Northington.  
Recitation, Miss Porter Lowry.  
Music, Miss Maude Rust.  
Reading, Miss Anne Smith.  
Music, Miss Mary Blaine.  
News and Notes, Miss Nina Barnes.  
Recitation, Miss Sarah Dagg.  
Recitation, Miss Mattie Matilda.

Candler's Stock Sales.

Eleven head of horses and mules and two milch cows were sold at Candler's semi-monthly stock sale, at his stable in this city, last Saturday, as follows:

Large gray horse, lame ..... \$25 00  
Large black mare, very old ..... 40 00  
Large gray mare, rejected ..... 15 00  
Black mare, aged ..... 40 00  
Small bay mare ..... 31 00  
Medium bay mare ..... 30 00  
Any horse, rejected ..... 25 00  
Small sorrel mare ..... 35 00  
Suckling mare, rejected ..... 25 00  
Jersey cow, striped ..... 35 00  
Cow with young calf ..... 35 00

The stock was all of an inferior class, and sold for its worth.

Next sale, Saturday, Sept. 27th.  
TOLK CANDLER, Manager.  
Jno. C. Day, Auctioneer.

Death of Mr. Louis Elb.

Mr. Louis Elb, an old and respected German citizen, who had been a resident of Hopkinsville, died last Thursday, Sept. 11th. Mr. Elb was born in Hanover, Germany, in February 1819 and was consequently in his 65th year. He came to America in 1849 and has lived here the greater part of the time since. He leaves no family excepting one son, Mr. Moses L. Elb, of this city.

HERE AND THERE.

Howe's time is the city standard. The train ran over a cow and killed it near the depot Sunday.

P. C. C. cures chills. Sold by J. R. Armistead, Hopper & Son and Gish & Garner.

Twelve mules and horses for sale by J. W. McGhee, at Bellevue. Cheap for cash.

Mr. G. U. West has re-opened in his new grocery store on Nashville street, where he was burned out.

P. L. C. cures sick headache and dyspepsia. Sold by Gish & Garner, J. R. Armistead and Hopper & Son.

The Knights of Pythias Lodge is receiving new members at every meeting. The membership now numbers about 110.

Hopper Avenue is being macadamized this week, much to the gratification of the citizens who live in that portion of the city.

The Louisville Annual Conference will convene in Louisville Wednesday Sept. 17. Rev. E. W. Bottomly left to-day to attend the body.

In another column appears the advertisement of Mr. Chas. G. Layne's sale, which will take place at his farm near Fairview, Saturday the 20th inst.

The ladies of Fairview and vicinity will give a supper on Tuesday night Sept. 25, for the purpose of raising means to furnish the new Methodist church. The price of admission will be only 25 cents.

Contracts have been let for grading the third ten miles of the I. A. & T. railroad. Another engine and forty cars have been bought for the road, including two passenger coaches and baggage and express car.—Clarksville Chronicle.

Judge George Robinson, of Burlington, Iowa, father of Misses Julia and Belle Robinson, who have frequently visited relatives in this city, died on the 5th inst. His wife was a daughter of Dr. Jno. F. Henry and many relatives of the family live in this vicinity.

The issue of the 13th of Sept. (next issue) will close the sixth volume of the Register and with that issue will close our connection with the paper, as we have sold the Register material, printing press and all the fixtures. The parties who have bought us out will begin the publication of a paper in a week or two. We defer farther notice until the issue of the 18th.—Elkton Register.

The Board of Trustees of Cadiz, have made it a flagrant offense for persons to gather in crowds upon any of the thoroughfares of the town to swap horses and any person found in such crowd and using loud and boisterous language shall be fined from \$3 to \$5. It is further ordained that any person who shall feed a team upon Main street, or around the Public square shall be fined from \$1 to \$3.

Jno. B. Doris' circus has come and gone and those who went to it feel like hiring somebody to kick them for it. We may have seen worse shows, but have never attended one where the very worst features of a circus were more prominently brought out. The leonine and peacock vendors were intolerable nuisances and swarms of them bored and annoyed the people until patience was exhausted. They were an unmannered set of rascals, in their shirt sleeves, and the so-called press representative was one of the roughest of the crowd. The street procession was very poor and the band was enough to make a man want to commit murder or suicide.

The dwelling house of Mr. Sam'l R. White, of Newstead, was burned last Friday at 3 o'clock P. M., together with all the outhouses adjacent. None of the family were at home excepting Mrs. White and her daughter. The fire caught from the kitchen due and when discovered the roof was ablaze. The ladies rang the farm bell for help but before assistance could come the house with all its contents was wrapped in flames. The smoke-house also burned and the provisions of meat, flour and other family supplies were also consumed. But little if any furniture was saved and the entire loss is estimated at \$6,000, with no insurance. The house was a large and handsome two-story frame building, about six or eight miles from the city. Mr. White has the sympathies of many friends in his misfortune.

G. E. Gaither's Drug Store.

Mr. G. E. Gaither opened, about nine months ago, a new drug store in the Howe building. There being several drug stores in the city people were somewhat doubtful as to the success of the new one, but contrary to their expectations he has built up one of the largest drug trades in the city, and it is still on the increase. The reason of his success is his close attention to business, and by carefully compounding prescriptions, of which he makes a specialty, and parties entrusting the filling of prescriptions to him, may rest assured they will get the freshest and purest of drugs and accurately compounded medicines. His stock of toilet articles is complete and he keeps a full supply of school books. Mr. Gaither keeps the best cigars in the city, and has one of the most complete drug stores in Southern Kentucky.

Don't forget to renew your subscription when it is out, and remember that the SEMI-WEEKLY KENTUCKIAN gives you more news for less money than any paper you can get.

PYTHIAN DECORATIONS.

The City to Be Handsomely Decorated. A Chat With Mr. R. M. Anderson, Chairman of the Committee on Decorations.

A Representative of the South Kentucky encountered Mr. R. M. Anderson yesterday, whom he found busily engaged in making preparations for the decoration of the city, during the meeting of the grand lodge, Knights of Pythias, on the 30th inst. Mr. Anderson is chairman of the committee on Decorations and a few questions were propounded to him; viz:

Q.—What will be done in regard to decorating the city?

Mr. A.—I have just finished calling upon the citizens and they have agreed, almost without an exception, to decorate the houses on Main street and the other principle streets.

Q.—What will be used to decorate with?

Mr. A.—Flags, streamers and banners will be generally used and many of the merchants who will take personal pride in the matter will adorn their stores with displays of evergreens and flowers.

Q.—Where will the flags be procured?

Mr. A.—I have made arrangements to order them by wholesale and furnish them to the citizens at actual cost including a discount of 30 per cent, which has been offered me. This will make them cost a mere song.

Q.—Will the decorations be made under the supervision of your committee?

Mr. A.—Yes; we will attend to the work of decorating, only asking the citizens to pay for flags.

Q.—Will the Lodge-room be decorated more elaborately than the rest of the houses?

Mr. A.—Yes; the decoration of our headquarters will be the grandest effort of this city since ever witnessed. Across the street in front of the Lodge room will be a mammoth arch. On each side will be two posts surmounted with battle-axes. From the tops of the inner posts will be raised two spears crossed in the middle, and in the triangle formed will be suspended a great triangle with "P. C. B." upon the corners. Underneath this will be a streamer with the word, "Welcome." The posts on each side will be decorated in the most gorgeous and artistic manner, and the archway will be thirty-five feet high. I tell you, it will be perfectly grand.

THE OLD, OLD STORY!

John Payne Killed—An Unloaded Gun—A Deplorable Accident.

Messrs. Forbes & Bro. have had a lot of hands for several days building a house for Mr. Elijah Ladd, near Cerulean Springs, Trigg county. Last Sunday morning Dick Trainum, Walt Shavers, W. E. Davis and John Payne, col., were together at Ladd's and secured a target gun, and were amusing themselves by shooting at a nickel put up against a tree. Trainum and Payne shot and then one of the others took the gun but was called away before he shot, and after loading the gun laid it across a wagon until he returned. None of the men noticed that the gun had been loaded. Shortly afterwards Mr. Trainum picked up the gun and asked it it was loaded. He was answered in the negative. Seeing Payne a few steps off dancing, he playfully raised the gun and pointing it at him pulled the trigger. To his horror, Payne fell dead, shot through the brain. Mr. Trainum came with the remains to the city in the afternoon and went with them to the dead man's late home. He is very much grieved over the unfortunate termination to a bit of playfulness, as he had worked for eight years with Payne and their relations had always been of the most amicable nature. Mr. Trainum is a man well advanced in years and has a family in this city. Payne was about 45 years old and leaves a wife and several children. An inquest was held prior to the removal of the body from Ladd's place, and the following verdict returned: "We, the jury, find that the dead body before us is that of John Payne, col., of Christian county, Ky., who came to his death by an accidental shot from a target gun in the hands of R. I. Trainum, on Sept. 11th, 1884, at Elijah Ladd's in Trigg county, Ky."

A. B. CLEMON,  
J. R. BLAKELY,  
A. J. PURSLEY,  
W. T. WALKER,  
W. E. GOODWIN.

The examining trial will be held before the magistrates of the Cerulean Springs district to-day, at 1 o'clock P. M.

Last week court was taken up with civil cases and nothing of interest to the public was done with the exception of one case. The widow of John Brice, a brakeman who was killed by the cars near Crofton Dec. 31, 1883, brought suit against the L. & N. Railroad for \$10,000, and the case was tried last week and she recovered \$1,000 damages. The road was represented by Feland & Wood and the plaintiff by E. P. Campbell and Henry & Payne.

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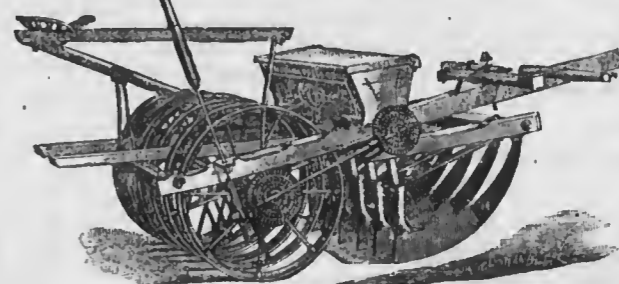


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